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Clearance Sale

A sale with values never before equalled. Nothing purchased for this sale. Every pair taken from our own stock.



Sale Starts Wednesday at 8 A. M. and Ends Saturday Night at 10 P. M.

- 100 pairs marked down to \$1.00 per pair—Among the lot are Gun Metal, Vici Kid, Patent Leathers in Lace or Button—Per pair \$1.00
One lot Ladies' High Grade Shoes, Sale Price \$2.98
One lot Ladies' and Misses' Shoes, Sale Price \$1.98
One lot Ladies' Rubbers, all sizes, Sale Price49
One lot 25c Dri-Foot Waterproof Shoe Dressing, preserves and softens all leather goods, in this sale, per can19

THE HOMER FITTS COMPANY

MORETOWN.

A son, Lionel Luther, arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Freeman Monday, Jan. 24.

Mrs. C. W. Ward and daughter, Margaret, arrived Tuesday night from a three months' stay at her home in Los Angeles, Cal.

Miss Addie Foss was detained from her school Monday by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Sloper were in Montpelier Thursday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Henson.

Mrs. B. S. Ward spent Tuesday and Wednesday with relatives in Burlington.

F. H. Bulkeley and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bisbee attended the funeral of William Hudson in Middlesex Thursday.

F. S. Hones is confined to his home by illness.

R. A. Griffith of Montpelier, was in town Sunday.

The ladies of the W. F. M. S. met with Mrs. A. A. Mandigo Friday afternoon.

Mrs. M. R. Child and daughter, Miss Irene Child, returned Saturday from a two weeks' stay in Essex Junction and Waterbury.

The funeral of Mrs. Omri Bruce was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of W. J. Fisher, Rev. J. B. Beardon of Barre officiating. Burial was at South Duxbury.

Mrs. W. E. Johnson is in Waterbury, caring for her sister, Mrs. Thomas Kelly, and infant daughter.

MIDDLESEX.

Mrs. Walter Russell is quite ill with pleural pneumonia.

Miss Henrietta Kerria returned to her school in Castleton Monday.

Mrs. F. J. Eaton spent Tuesday in Barre.

Miss Bernice Price, who has been at home, returned to her studies at Johnson Normal Tuesday.

Herman Collins has moved his family from North Ferrisburg to town.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertis Reeves are the parents of a child born Saturday, Jan. 29.

Mrs. Fred Miles was a visitor in Burlington Saturday and Sunday.

The Home circle will meet with Mrs. N. Stockwell on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Annie Rhodes has stored her household goods and is at present staying at Harry Sherman's.

Miss Marion Leland, who has been ill with a severe cold, is better.

The village schools reopened Monday morning. Many of the pupils are still absent on account of colds.

WAITSFIELD.

Mrs. John Maxwell, who has been ill all winter, was not as well Monday.

Alice Smith is substituting in school No. 7 in the absence of Miss Minnie Maxwell.

Harry McAllister was ill Sunday night with indigestion and was unable to return to Montpelier until Tuesday.

Kenneth Cota, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Cota, has scarlet fever.

F. J. Palmer of Burlington is staying at the Waitfield house.

John Graves was in Waterbury Sunday and found his wife's health improved.

Mrs. Graves is being treated at the state hospital.

Mrs. Hattie Lovely and little child of Waterbury are at Neil McLaughlin's.

Mrs. Henry LaBell, who was in the Fanny Allen hospital early in the winter for an operation, is now able to walk to the village.

MONTPELIER.

Seminary Was Easily Defeated by High School Last Night.

Montpelier high school's basketball team defeated Montpelier seminary, 33 to 16, last evening in armory hall, the winners playing the entire first period without the services of Gross and Clark, the regular forwards. Clark went into the game in the last half and made three baskets from the floor and two from the foul line, but he failed to play with much ambition, being weak from his recent illness. Jangraw surprised himself and most of the spectators by playing the best game of his life at forward in the first period, making six baskets. He was shifted to center when Clark went into the game and failed to shine thereafter. Putnam put up an excellent game in the final period, playing with more "pep" than he ever displayed and with a little confidence should develop into a capable forward. Hatch played well for the seminary, making ten of his team's 16 points. The summary:

Montpelier High. Montpelier Sem. Clark, f., g. f. Grani Putnam, f., g. f. St. Mary Jangraw, f., c. Hatch Woodworth, c., g. Pike Smith, g., g. Kelley Pape, g., g. Ramsdell Baskets from floor—Jangraw 7, Putnam 3, Clark 3, Hatch 4, Clark 2, Smith. Referee—Moore. Time—Two 20-minute periods.

In probate court yesterday afternoon, James S. Milne of Barre was appointed administrator of the estate of James S. Milne, jr., late of Barre City.

Walter Krinowitz of Waterbury, merchant and tailor, has filed a petition in bankruptcy with Judge Harland B. Howe, which has been referred to W. N. Theriault. Krinowitz has liabilities of \$1,803.50, of which \$500 is secured claims, and has assets of \$1,156.51. The majority of his creditors are clothing firms in Boston and New York.

William and John Hennessey of College street returned yesterday from a brief visit with relatives in Boston and Nashua, N. H.

The regular quarterly meeting of the state board of pharmacy is being held in the Senate chamber at the State House, the meeting opening this forenoon at 10 o'clock. The members of the board are: W. F. Root of Brattleboro, Charles H. Skinner of Windsor, W. L. Gokay of Bennington, E. G. McClellan of Rutland, and M. G. Beebe of Burlington.

About 25 couples attended the second dance held by the Subscription club in the Bailey hall last evening.

Attorney Warren R. Austin left this morning for his home in St. Albans, having been in the city to attend the opening of the February term of supreme court.

Louise Barney died yesterday afternoon at the home of his brother-in-law, Gilbert Perea, on the Berlin pond road, at the age of 79 years, having been ill since last December with heart trouble. He was born Dec. 1, 1836, in Granby, P. Q., and was twice married, first to Lena Fountain, three children being born to them. He married for his second wife Mary Perea and to them eight children were born. She died last summer. For many years the deceased conducted a blacksmith shop and was employed by different concerns. He leaves three children: Louise, Lena and Philip Barney.

the first two of Barre and the last of Dillard, Sask.; two brothers, Charles and Frank Barney, and a sister, Lena, of Burlington, and a large number of grandchildren.

Attachment for goods purchased having been made by Deputy Sheriff Lawson, acting for a local attorney, with a Maine firm as his client, the shoe store of Bruce McDonald on State street is closed. Mr. McDonald is unable to say what he is to do. It is possible that he will file a petition in bankruptcy as the result of his financial situation. He has been in business for ten years.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Great sale takes Thursday at the Vaughan Store.

Mrs. A. A. Reed of Williamstown was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Emily Stevens in "The Soul of a Woman." Park theatre to-night—adv.

Factory method, shoe repairing. Charbonneau's basement, Worthen block—adv.

Paul Mammolo is taking a vacation from his duties as clerk in the People's National bank.

Dodge and Carleton began work this morning repainting the interior of the Frank McWhorter company's store.

Ladies, remember the heavy, clumsy shoes? We don't do work that way.

Our soles are light and flexible. Give us one tryout on your best shoes. The P. M. Deputie Shop.

The Vermont Tel. and Tel. company has been making extensive changes in its wiring on Enterprise alley during the last week. The old and irregular line of poles has been unloaded and will be taken down in the near future. The wires have been transferred to the poles of the Consolidated Lighting company which were set after the street was laid out and are therefore on the curb. A new cable has been strung and numerous improvements made where the lines enter the blocks.

CALEDONIA COUNTY FARMERS

Elected W. P. Russell of Kirby as Their President.

St. Johnsbury, Feb. 2.—These officers were chosen at the annual meeting of the Caledonia County Farmers' association held here yesterday, with a large attendance: President, W. P. Russell of Kirby; vice-president, E. P. Bridgeman of Hardwick; treasurer, J. P. Titcomb of Lyndon; secretary, Harvey Burbank of East Barre.

The work of County Agent Leland A. Wood was graphically illustrated by means of a county map, showing the demonstration project now in progress.

The speakers were Dean J. L. Hills of the state college of agriculture, Prof. Thomas Bradley, head of the state extension work, and A. A. Carleton of West Newbury, president of the State Maple Sugar Makers' association.

There are 10,000 sugar makers in Vermont, but less than 400 belong to the association, said the speaker. Only half of the maples are in use. The industry yields yearly \$1,000,000, and this sum could easily be doubled, according to Mr. Carleton, who showed samples of his prize-winning sugar, and gave directions as to tapping, boiling, etc.

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WEBSTERVILLE.

The guild of the Church of the Good Shepherd will meet for work in the rectory of the church Thursday at 10 a. m. Service on Thursday evening at 7 o'clock.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thanks to the friends and neighbors for their acts of kindness and assistance during our recent bereavement; also for the many expressions of sympathy and the beautiful floral tributes.

Mrs. A. Colombo and family.

Notice to Public.

Beginning Feb. 1, the meat business of W. H. Martin and the grocery business of Bartlett & Nye, conducted by George C. Nye, all of Plainfield, have been united into a partnership, namely: Martin & Nye. A first-class meat, grocery and provision business will be carried on. All old bills due either of these firms must be settled at once. We respectfully solicit your patronage.

W. H. Martin, George C. Nye, Plainfield, Vt., Feb. 1.

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BARRE DAILY TIMES

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 2, 1916.

The Weather

Probably snow tonight and Thursday; moderate north to east winds.

TALK OF THE TOWN

Note the prices on coats in the clean-up sale at Vaughan's.

Regular meeting of Bright Star Rebekah lodge, No. 18, Wednesday evening, Feb. 2, at 7:30 o'clock. The officers are requested to be present for practice.

The world's greatest Century edition of 100 music for sale at Rossi's Piano Rooms, Averill block.

Capt. T. C. Young of the Salvation Army corps is passing a few days in Randolph and other Orange county towns.

Eric Pirie of the Vermont Trucking company returned to the city this morning, after spending several days in Boston on business.

W. E. Laffin of East Barre was a visitor in the city this morning while on his way to Burlington for a few days' business visit.

Elder H. E. Miles of Henniker, N. H., is passing a few weeks in the city on business connected with the Seventh Day Adventist mission here.

Angelo Marchetti of Church street, who is taking a week's vacation from his duties in the Diversi fruit store, has gone to Bangor, Me., for a few days' visit with relatives.

"Liquor and the Law," the first installment of the new serial, "Graft," featuring Jane Novak and Hobart Henley, also the last installment of "The Broken Coin," at the Bijou—adv.

Notice: Ladies' Auxiliary to Clan Gordon, No. 12, are requested to attend the funeral of our late sister, Mary Kelman, Thursday at 1:30 p. m., from the home of Mrs. Rogers, Allen street.

Battista Colombo, who has been passing several days in the city, having been called here by the death of his brother, Angelo Colombo of George street, returned to-day to his home in South Ryegate.

Thirty of the friends of Jennie Venner gave her a surprise party at her home at 27 Brooklyn street Monday evening, the occasion being Jennie's 12th birthday. The young people played games, enjoyed the music of a victrola and were served refreshments. All had a very good time.

This evening at the Vincenza club the second ladies' night of the winter will be observed with an entertainment, music, dancing and cards, to be followed by a buffet luncheon. Prof. W. S. Burrage of Middlebury college will give a series of humorous readings from his own translation of the comedies of Aristophanes.

The Italian Gayety club, an organization of young men and young women of the Italian communities in Barre and Montpelier, which was formed early in the autumn of 1915, is making arrangements for a St. Valentine's dance, to be given in the Knights of Columbus hall in the latter part of next week. Invitations for the affair have been issued and the committee has in the making plans for some unusually novel features. The dance will be one of a series of private assemblies given under the club auspices this winter.

Orange lumbermen and others interested in getting out timber are facing one of the most serious situations that has developed in a good many logging seasons, according to one dealer who was a visitor to the city yesterday. Scarcity of snow in the woods has brought lumbering operations practically to a standstill as unless there is a heavy snowstorm within a short time, it is said, very few logs will be sawed this spring. Hundreds of horses, according to one lumberman, are not earning their board these days. Much of the timber marked for the woodsman's axe has been cut and now the transportation problem is causing deep concern. Not in a number of years, the lumbermen say, has there been such a dearth of snow.

Among the visitors in the city yesterday and to-day were the following people: Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Sherwin of Norristown, Pa., who are passing several days at Hotel Barre; Harold L. Bailey of Bradford, A. S. Martin of Burlington, J. C. Hartwell of Woodsville, N. H., F. D. Cox of Albany, J. E. Roark of Springfield, Miss A. O. Hersey of East Corinth, Me., M. A. Chase and L. E. Butler of Burlington, R. M. Brova of Wilton, Me., Theodore M. Hayden of Worcester, William Taylor of Ogdensburg, N. Y., Mrs. R. B. Clayton of Washington, D. C., D. G. Bushnell of Burlington, F. L. Smith of Rutland, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Greut of Mount Vernon, N. Y., F. P. Beare of Brandon, B. U. Wells of St. Johnsbury, G. H. Hoyt of Woodsville, N. H., R. K. Edgerton of Burlington, Miss Gladys Fraser of Keene, N. H., and R. E. Belding of Newport.

Arrangements have been completed by Barre council, Knights of Columbus, for a free lecture to be given in the opera house Friday evening by David Goldstein of Roxbury, Mass., who is to speak on "Peace and War." It is announced that Mr. Goldstein will deal with his subject under three headings, giving the causes of war and the way to established peace in our domestic, industrial and governmental relations. Mr. Goldstein will make plain the Christian attitude on these three phases of his subject, while he exposes the false teachings of radicals. Here are a few of the questions the speaker will answer: What causes family disruption? What solution do Catholics offer for divorce and its kindred modern evils? What causes the industrial conflicts of our time? What is the cause of the war? What is needed to establish and maintain an enduring peace of nations? What has the church done for international peace?

Big brain, who is the weather bureau's closest competitor on this particular day, took the ancient observance of Candlemas seriously enough this forenoon to issue forth from his winter quarters, in order that more ancient tradition might be upheld. The day was without the semblance of a sunbeam, and for the reason that there was no shadow to scare the bear, he did not scamper back to his hole for 40 days. The inference is that spring is only a matter of weeks; but if brain, or the woodchuck, to whom allusion is sometimes made in connection with Feb. 2, believes that balmy weather is just around the corner, they are not of a mind with countless prophets who allow that one of the coldest months in many moons is in immediate prospect. For the first time in several winters, brain's Candlemas appearance found the earth barren for the most part of snow, and hence, had the sun shone, the big fellow could scarcely have cast a very likely looking shadow.

TALK OF THE TOWN

New percales special at Vaughan's. Clean-up sale all this week at the Vaughan Store.

Joseph Parker left the city yesterday afternoon for Chazy, N. Y., where he is to spend several days with relatives.

The guild of the Church of the Good Shepherd will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 at the home of Mrs. S. N. Parker, Spaulding street. It is hoped that all ladies connected with the church will be present.

Mrs. Gusto Alioso, who was called to Barre by the death of her brother, Angelo Colombo of George street, returned to-day to her home in South Ryegate. Natale Colombo of Northfield also returned to his home, after having been summoned here by his brother's demise.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Duprey, Miss Jennie Mason, Miss Blanche McNally and James McDonald, who were in South Barre Monday evening to attend the surprise party given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lafayette on their 25th wedding anniversary, returned yesterday to their home in Northfield.

BARRE K. OF C. LEADING.

Defeated at Pool But Forged Ahead on Cribbage.

By a margin of 46 points in the totals Barre council, No. 491, took the first leg in the cribbage and pool series between Barre and Montpelier Knights of Columbus last evening. The first matches in a series of six tournaments were played in the clubrooms of Barre council, a large number of the capital city knights coming to the city to participate or to look on. Montpelier had a total of 144 points as against 117 for Barre in the pool totals, but in the cribbage contests the totals were: Barre 5,880, Montpelier 5,807. Next Tuesday evening the Barre knights are to be entertained in Montpelier and for six weeks the series will alternate between the twin cities.

Below is given in recapitulation the cribbage and pool matches:

Pool.		Cribbage.	
Barre.	Montpelier.	Barre.	Montpelier.
A. Gooe 30 R. Ladden 44	D. Wylie 23 W. Hennessey 40	J. E. McNulty 988 D. McGovern 1,000	
D. Wylie 23 W. Hennessey 40	C. H. Wilkie 44 F. E. Galleher 50	James Brown D. Linahan 1,000	
Totals 117	144	J. O'Leary 904 McMahon 1,000	
		C. Leclair Carey 892	
		Normandeau 1,000 H. Jones 892	
		W. Marrian L. Badard 982	
		P. A. Noonan 1,000 J. Dobbs 982	
		A. J. Loranger Ryan 935	
		E. J. Owens 1,000 L. Stone 935	
		A. H. Burke C. McKenna 1,000	
		W. White 988 J. Kennedy 1,000	
		G. Gregware A. Roland 5,807	
Totals 5,880	5,807		

Specials for This Week

- Eden Cloth, 15c value 8c
Light Dress Silks, 25c value, for 16c
Honeycomb Flannel, 15c value, for 7c
Cheese Cloth, 5c value, for 4c
Cotton Batting, 10c value 4 for 30c
12c value 4 for 38c
Carter's Wool Union Suits, \$2.50 value \$1.75
\$2.25 value 1.50
\$2.00 value 1.38
Battenburg Doilies, 15c value 3 for 25c

Our 15c counter, containing merchandise of values to 35c

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PARK THEATRE.

Emily Stevens in "The Soul of a Woman."

Standish, an artist, uses Mary, his wife, as the model for his painting of the Madonna. When the connoisseur and the parishioner came to inspect the picture, the connoisseur recognizes in the model an old paramour, and tells the husband so. The husband, while surprised, fails to disclose his identity, and the visitors purchase the picture. After their departure, the artist upbraids his wife. She tells him of her long acquaintance with the connoisseur and how, for five years, she believed herself legally married to him. But the husband, unforgiving, turns her and her infant son out into the street. The mother leaves her baby on the steps of a monastery with a crucifix bearing her name. Then she enters a squalid resort known as the "House of Lost Souls," and becomes its reigning queen.

"Seventeen years later the boy is a novice in the monastery. Before becoming a monk he wants to see the world. Later Anthony gives consent and the lad wanders into the "House of Lost Souls" of which his mother is now the proprietress. There the novice meets Lust, Rum, Passion, Avarice and Beauty. They try their wiles in vain. Finally he succumbs to Beauty. The proprietress enters their rival revels, takes the lad to her home and finding the crucifix, learns that he is her son. Without disclosing her identity, she tells him to go back. When he is gone, she renounces her companions. Then she falls fainting. See picture for full story. This feature can be seen to-night—Adv.

NORTH MONTPELIER

Third annual Masonic hall. North Montpelier hall Friday evening, Feb. 11. Montpelier Military band orchestra.

SOUTH BARRE.

The grange annual young and old folks' dance and chicken-pie supper Friday, Feb. 4. Opera house orchestra. Bill, \$1.25 per couple. The Vermont Auto Trucking company will have a barge at the city postoffice corner at 7:30 to take all who wish to go. Round trip, 25c.

EAST BARRE

Regular meeting of W. chosen tribe, No. 19, on Thursday evening at 7:30. Work, warrior's and chief's degrees.

Regular meeting of Winnetta council, No. 10, D. of P. Thursday, Feb. 3, at 7 o'clock. The degree team is requested to be present for practice.

Special convocation of St. Aldemar commandery, No. 11, K. T. Thursday evening, Feb. 3, at 7:30. Work, red cross. Per order E. C.

Union Dry Goods Company

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To-day and during the balance of this week, we offer you all odd lots of merchandise at prices that will move them out quickly.

A Daily Visit to This Store Will More Than Repay You

Good Warm Coats at Half Price and Less

There is still cold weather to come, when you will need a warm, comfortable Coat. Our garments are all new and this season's best styles, and the prices are much less than you would usually pay for old-style garments.

Coats at \$6.75

This is positively the best Coat value ever offered in this section of New England. Every garment made of all-wool materials and up-to-date in every particular. The assortment includes Misses' and Ladies' sizes. These Coats sold regularly up to \$16.50. Your choice now at \$6.75

Coats at \$8.75

This lot comprises our very best Coats, the season's best models. Some are half lined and many lined throughout with guaranteed linings. You must see these garments in order to appreciate this bargain. Sold regularly up to \$22.50. Your choice now at \$8.75

An Extraordinary Bargain in Suits at \$7.98

Any of these Suits are good for spring wear, but they must be sold regardless of cost or value. Materials are Poplins, Wool Serges, etc., and worth regularly up to \$16.50. Final Clean-Up Price \$7.98

Children's Bonnets at Clearance Prices

We have a few dozen Infants' Bonnets that we are closing out at the following prices: ALL BONNETS sold regularly at 50c, now 39c
ALL BONNETS sold regularly at \$1.00, now 79c
ALL BONNETS sold regularly at \$1.50, now \$1.19

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Half Price Sale on Winter Shoes

Featured in our show window are Overshoes and Overs for Leggings, that we are closing at one-half price. Now, while you need them most. Children's 2-buckle, Youths' 2-buckle, Boys' 2-buckle, and 1-buckle, and Men's 4-buckle, 2-buckle and 1-buckle Overshoes.

Rubbers for women—good Rubbers, not bought for a sale, 50c.

Men's, of the same kind, 75c.
Children's, Youths' and Boys' Rubbers, 40c to 65c.
All other Overs, Arctics and Felt Shoes at a discount of 20c on the dollar.

Come before your size is sold.

People's Shoe Store

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